

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: A. A. Shah
FRED BISHOP, JR. ET AL.)	
	:	Art Unit: 3625
Application No.: 10/707,309)	
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Filed: December 4, 2003)	
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR)	
FACILITATING INTERACTION	:	
BETWEEN CONSUMER AND)	
MERCHANT	:	February 16, 2007

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated February 2, 2007, indicating that the RCE was not signed, Applicants submit that an electronic signature was properly placed in the signature block of the originally filed RCE Transmittal under 37 C.F.R. § 1.4(d)(2).

Applicants attorney contacted Examiner Shah on February 16, 2007, who indicated that although a previously filed amendment was entered and a suspension of action was requested in this case, a submission should be identified under section 1 of the Transmittal as a formality.

Accordingly, Applicants herewith resubmit a corrected Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal, amending section 1 of the Transmittal to identify the previously submitted Amendment After Final filed on December 8, 2006.

Accordingly, Applicants submit that the RCE Transmittal complies with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York Office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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